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1. It is reported that the work begun in March 1951 for the enlargement and improvement of the Rosiorii de Vede airport was completed. The airport runways were enlarged and lengthened. Two hangars were also built for "heavy" aircraft. At one of the field's edges, a large underground tank for the storage of fuel was under construction. Another fuel tank was reportedly under construction close to the village of Scriostea, located northwest of Rosiorii de Vede.
2. Several jet airplanes are stationed on the Pipera airport northeast of Bucharest. The field is reportedly operated by the Soviet Air Force. It is reported that these aircraft often fly over Bucharest. The roads which lead to the airport have been closed to civilian traffic. A new road, approximately one kilometer long and parallel to the old one, has been built for automobile traffic. The new road is far enough from the airport to make observation impossible.
3. It is reported that there are jet aircraft at the airport of Deveselu. A large strip of land around the airport has been declared a "military zone".

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